Mountain Weather Forecast

Yorkshire Dales National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 26 May 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 27 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 26 May 2021 at 03:41

Confidence: High for the improving trend towards drier and warmer conditions but low for the intensity and extent of any showers.

Headline for Wednesday 26 May 2021: Cloudy with light rain and drizzle, turning into showers in the afternoon, perhaps heavy at times.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 26 May 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Dull	Heavy rain showers	Light rain showers	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
30%	40%	20%	30%	30%	<05%

Forecast for Wednesday 26 May 2021

Weather: Cloudy at times overnight but a dry and largely sunny start on Wednesday. However, some thicker cloud will move in from the north soon after dawn, bringing outbreaks of light rain or drizzle. The cloud will break and lift during the afternoon, the rain turning into scattered showers, some of which heavy with a low risk of thunder. Showers clearing away during the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 40% in the morning, becoming 70-80% later in the afternoon.

Visibility: Poor in the morning with rain, drizzle and extensive low cloud around 400-500m. Good in the afternoon but deteriorating to become mediocre or poor in showers

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/17 NW	12/17 NW	11/15 N	8/12 NW	6/9 NW	6/10 W	8/10 SW
300	8/16 NW	10/18 NW	9/16 NW	6/11 NW	4/9 NW	3/8 W	5/10 W
Valley	1/7 NW	7/14 NW	8/15 NW	6/11 W	3/8 N	2/6 NW	2/8 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-0	5/1	7/4	9/7	8/7	8/6	6/4
300	6/3	8/5	10/8	12/11	11/10	8/7	7/6
Valley	7/6	9/7	12/10	13/12	12/11	9/9	8/7
Freezing Level*	1300m	1600m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1700m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A dull day, feeling cold with plenty of low cloud, waterproofs highly recommended.

Recent rainfall: measured at Malham: altitude 375m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Wed 26 May 2021	11.4mm	13.2mm	22.8mm

Forecast for Thursday 27 May 2021

Weather: Some widespread areas of mist and fog initially but dry and largely sunny otherwise. Some fair weather cloud will bubble up during the morning, perhaps leading to the odd shower in the afternoon although for most, it will remain dry throughout.

Maximum wind: Westerly 8 mph with gusts 15 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 60% early morning, with patchy low cloud quickly lifting. 95% or more in the afternoon.

Visibility: Poor in mist and fog around dawn but quickly becoming very good all around, with excellent surrounding views.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 05 becoming plus 16 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 07 becoming Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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